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On July 10, 1964, a source with whom contact has been insufficient to establish his reliability, but who was formerly an officer in the Boyal Canadian Calvary, and who is currently a professor of foreign languages at a Southern University, advised he recently received a letter postmarked Vienna, Austria, from Professor Edmund Halmasi, bearing return address of Wien 40, Postfach 347. The letter was missegraphed and written in the Hungarian language.

The source translated the letter which transcription is set forth as follows:

"Dear Odon,

"In connection with your case I would like to bring to your attention the fact that it was Zako's duty to attack you. Hamely Zako is not only working for the CIA, but for 15 years he is taking good care that those who are being sent to Budapest to 'work' never return from there and receive the rope, because this way his victims can not find out that beside the organization fee he also stole from his former victims the traveling expenses. He is working both ways, he is in cahoots with Budapest, too. That's where he received the order from, to attack you, and if he ham't done this, through his agents in Vienna, he would have been exposed from here to his CIA boss in Munich.

"Such change can never come here which could make his return here possible. Namely the families of more than hundred victims will help him right away to the end of a rope in case an unexpected political change should occur here.

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"Mext time be more carefull whom you choose for friend. You are lucky that the bandits of Zako have only excluded you, and did not throw you across the border or simply kill you.... Take care of yourself!

Your old friend:

Budapest, June 1964.

S. Vilmos

On the envelope:

Stamp:

Budapest 72. 64.VI.13.19. Redeross Stamp:

1863-1963, Magyar Posta

To:

Herrn Edmund

Wien 40 Postfach 347"

"The original of the saddest letter of the Hungarian exile is authentic. Its paper and envelope is being used only in Hungary, it is made in Hungary. The stamp is original. The sender of the letter was in army intelligence until 1944, and was an old colleague of Zako. In case of court action the Hungarian victims of Zako and their families will be ready to take the witness stand.

"Authenticated photogopy of this letter can be obtained for \$ 0.50 and mailing cost."

The source advised that ZAKO during World
War II was a colonel in the Hungarian Army and was on
the General Staff. Source advised that ZAKO was one of
the individuals who started the Hungarian Federal Association
in Europe as well as in the United States, and that this
association is quite strong in the United States.

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Source stated that in his opinion, based on the text of the letter, Zako is used by Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) to get other Hungarians to go into Hungary to act as Agents and that these Agents are subsequently caught as a result of Zako furnishing the authorities in Hungary with the identity of the Agents.

Source further advised that Professor Edmund
Mainasi is a very famous scientist in sociology in

Vienna, Austria, and is currently working on a plan
known as the "Mainasi Plan" which according to the
source he, Mainasi, has presented to the United
States Department of State. According to the source
this plan is to establish a writed states of the
Baltic and Slavic countries to act as a "buffer sone"
between Europe and Russia and the constitution for
these countries will be similar to the constitution of
the United States of America.

Source advised he assumes since the above described letter was mimographed, other individuals in the United Extes probably received this letter from Malnasi. However, he stated he has not heard of anyone else receiving this letter.

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